amiles could be seen on the faces of all those who observed Lent. Once more pealitent humanity has come out of its shell of rigid restraint, and the world has blossomed forth into a kind of eat-drink-and-be-merry phase, with the forty days of sackcloth and ashes but a memory relegated to the past.

Easter Sunday was appropriately celebrated in all the Episcopal and Catholic churches of the city, while in some of the Methodist and Baptist churches special musical programmes, setting forth in a fitting manner the great festival, were beautifully rendered by the several choirs. The decorations at St. Paul's consisted simply of two Easter lilles. There were few floral decorations in the Discopal churches, but the decorations in the Catholic churches were elaborate and strikingly beautiful. In some of the latter sanctuaries a profusion of cut flowers, pot palms, and other greens, and many lighted tapers combined to make an exceedingly attractive ensemble.

The music in many of the churches, as published in Sunday's Times, was well selected, and equally well rendered. There were many familiar numbers prettily rendered, and equally well rendered. There were introduced. The music upon the whole was probably of a higher order than has been heard in Richmond upon similar occasions for years. Despite the threatening weather, large crowds attended divine services in the morning, and many handsome gowns and Easter honnets were cest. Any number of violets, pansies, and lilies of the valley were warn by way of adornment, and many pariors on Franklin, Grace, and south

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pariors on Franklin, Grace, and south Third streets, Floyd and Park avenues, and other resident streets, were beautified with Easter Biles, roses, azaleas, and other choice botanical gems.

The bad weather on Sunday afternoon broke up the usual Easter promenade out towards the Lee monument, and the attendance in the churches on Sunday eventure was small parior to the unfavorable. ning was small, owing to the unfavorable

EASTES-MONDAY.

The weather man took mercy upon poor, suffering humanity yesterday, and in the fullness of his heart aent down a bit of better weather during the day. Early in the morning the streets were astir with people of all ages, classes, and colors, eager to observe the day in true Easter fashion. The schools of the city suspended exercises during the day, and pupils from five years old up enjoyed themselves to the limit. Some of the boys played ball on all the available space in the city, scored too many runs for the compositor to set up in tabulated form, whinped the ampire by way of routine, and had their trousers patched at night. Quite a large number of fishermen dug ball on Sunday, so as to be off early Monday morning to sit around on the banks of the James. With fishing-tackle, tin-bucket, and lumch-basket in hand, they spent the day sitting on their imagination and speculating upon the credulous tendencies of the perch and the cattleth, returned home with the usual luck, and wondered why they couldn't convince their friends of the size of the fish that got back.

charged with stealing six chickens, the property of some unknown person. Fauretay meraing Policeman Dugan saw Henry with a basket of desseed chickens and questioned him about them. His answers were very unsatisfactory, and the officer put him under arrest. On the way to the reation house the negro threw the chickens away, and struck Dugan in the face, and as a consequence the negro had his bread done up in handlages yesterday morning, the officer have

the negro had bis bread done up in bankages yesterday morning, the officer having used his club on him.

When his Honor heard this portion of
the testimony, he issued a bench-warrant
charging Henry with resisting the policeman in the discharge of his duty and
sest him on to the grand Jury to answer
the charge, and also sent him to jail for
twelve months in default of \$500 nurety as
a suspicious character. a suspicious character. Heary's wife said he had been stealing chickens nearly every night since he had

been released from the penitentiary about

a month ago.

John Fossett (colored) was sent to Jail
for thirty days in default of \$100 surety
on the charge of being a suspicious char-

jury on the charge of cutting Anderson Espa with a knife. Henny Hill (colored) was sent to sail for fifteen days for stealing \$1, the property

infreen days for stealing \$1, the property of Olivia Yancey.
Richard Williams (colored) was fined \$10 and costs for beating Martha Dandridge, and Williams and Martha Dandridge were each fined \$10 and costs for beating Ella Fronsinia.

Alfred Granger was fined \$2,50 for abustice Sidney Jones.

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Namie Coloman threatened to kill Lucy and Sally Taliaferro with a hatchet. The quarrel was over a door which Lucy ingisted in nailing up even though expressly commanded by the Justice not to do so. They were each fined \$2.25.

STREET IMPOOVEMENTS.

The Committee Holds a Long Session and Transacts Much Business.

The Committee on Streets held its regular somi-monthly meeting in room No. 5 of the City Hall last evening, when the following members were present: Musers, Allen (chairman), Bahen, Blanks, Burton, Diacont, King, Mounteastle, Page, Mann, Boykin, Ferriter and Bloom-Communication was received from Mr.

A communication was received from Mr. George E. Fisher, treasurer of the Richmond Railway and Electric Company, which contained the following:

"After fully considering the changes projected in our Fuiton routes, as shown in the communication from the City Engineer of the 26th instant, and making estimates of the cost involved and the dangers to be incurred from running our tracks over Williamsburg avenue, and also reading the petition to me from the propie living on the lines of our present routes, we have concluded that if we can do so) we prefer to retain our present routes, and ask that we may be enabled to give to Fulton a continuous six to ten routes, and ask that we may be enabled to give to Fulton a continuous six to ten minutes service from 6 o'clock A. M. to midnight, as we have been trying to give that section for the past two years, in this connection we would state that at nearly all time two of our cars are on the loop in Fulton, that there is at present not enough travel over that toute to pay for the running of even one of our cars, and the present service is given at considerable loss to us, and to the great disadvantage to our patrons in the heart of the city as our lines are crossed in

THE GREAT FESTIVAL.

| Fulton by two lines of steam rails, on which there is a heavy trume schedule. We had hoped that some arrangement might be effected by which relief would be afforded to the people of Lester street, by shifting our tracks towards the river side of the street, which can easily be done, but did not suppose that we would be afforded to the people of Lester street, by shifting our tracks towards the river side of the street, which can easily be done, but did not suppose that we would be afforded to the people of Lester street, by shifting our tracks towards the river side of the street, which can easily be done, but did not suppose that we would be afforded to the people of Lester street, by shifting our tracks towards the river side of the street, which can easily be done, but did not suppose that we would be afforded to the people of Lester street, by shifting our tracks towards the river side of the street, which can easily be done, but did not suppose that we would be afforded to the people of Lester street, by shifting our tracks towards the river side of the street, which can easily be done, but did not suppose that we would be afforded to the people of Lester street, by shifting our tracks towards the river side of the street, which can easily be done, but did not suppose that we would be afforded to the people of Lester street, by shifting our tracks towards the river side of the street, which can easily be done, but did not suppose that we would be constituted.

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Another resolution introduced by Mr

Another resolution introduced by Mr. Caskie asks for an estimate of the cost of paving the sidewalks on both sides of Broad from Tenth to Adams streets with bricks or granolithic pavement. On motion of Mr. Mann, the Engineer was directed to furnish the desired estimate.

A number of current bills were ordered to be paid.

The question of abating the nuisance created by a big pond of stagnant water between Park avenue and Franklin street and Ryland and Harrison streets, was discussed at some length. On motion of Mr. McDowell, the committee decided to meet in that locality on Thursday aftermeet in that locality on Thursday after-noon, at 4 o'clock, and the property owners be invited to be present on that

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An ordinance introduced by Mr. Wallerstein was taken up, revoking the franchise of the Richmond and Manchester street car line concerning the running of cars over the Marshall street route.

Captain Pizzini explained the situation and stated that the railroad company was ready to electrify the road on Fourteenth and up Marshall to Eighth or Ninth street, from where the cars will return over the other line to Main street. A resolution instructing the City Attorney to draw up an ordinance to that effect was introduced in the Board of Aldermen at the last meeting. The company also intends to take up the track on Marshall street from Eighth or Ninth streets westward.

The matter was finally referred to the present sub-committee on the Broad street line, consisting of Messrs, Bloomberg, Bahen, Boykin, Diacont, McDowell, the City Engineer and the City Attorney.

The communication of Mr. George E. Fisher, in regard to the Fulton route, was then taken up. After a lengthy discussion the committee finally decided, on motion of Mr. Diacont, to refer the letter hack to Mr. Fisher, with a request to give a positive answer as to whether the company will run its cars on Williamsburg avenue.

THE BAZAAR BOOMING.

Friends of the Richmond Elks Coming to

The raid_The Committee Meets.
The Ell's' Bezaar Committee met at Concordia Hall lest night and completed the details pertaining to the opening or the mammoth festival to be inaugurated at the Richmond Theatre on the evening of the 22d instant.

The following additional list of those naving made contributions to the bazair was reported:

T. & A. Freiburg (Cheinnath, Davenport & Moirls, Wirt E. Taylor & Co., Harbox & Brakton, Stove Selinger (Nor.)

on the banks of the James, With 1885 ing-tackle, tim-bucket, and lunch-basket in hand, they spent the day sitting on the credulous tendencies of the perch and the cartist, returned home with the usual luck and wondered why they couldn't convince their friends of the size of the fish that got back.

ITENICS ARD BASEBALL.

Any number of holiday celebraters spent the day out of the city. Capitol Square. Forest Hill, and other parks in and near the city, were visited by hundreds, and the wheelmen and wheelwomen, too took a spin here, there, and elsewhere. Plenics were indulged in despite the rather cool weather.

At the base-ball park the rocters were not wanting. The Cockade City sent over large delegation to witness the opening of the Virginia Leagus season here, and everything went as merry as a marriage bell.

Easter-Monday was perhaps more generally observed in this city than for years past.

JUSTICE JOHN'S COURT,

A Chickon Thief Attacks the Policeman Who Arrested Him.

William Henry alias Charles Williams, a colered ex-conviet, who only about a month ago left the penitentiary, was in the Police Court yesterday morning charged with strailing six chickens, the property of some unknown person.

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The following committees will solicit donations in the territory named:

Brothers Thomas G. Leath, Jacob Gans, and Robert E. Golden, Main street east from Seventh to Eleventh.

Brothers Chris. Evensen and Butler, Main street east from Eleventh to Eigh-

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centh.

Brothers H. M. Smith, Jr., Claiborne Spps, and Louis O. Wendenburg, from Eighteenth street east.

The receipts accruing from the Eike cassar are to be devoted to deserving

es, and the festival will continue two weeks. The chairmen of the s committees will meet in joint ession with the Ladies' Auxiliary at the fice of Captain Frank Cunningham in the City Hall.

A ONE CENT TRIAL.

Soldon Chalkly Charged With Stealing A D. Moore's Base Ball Plank.

Seldon Chalkly, a young man living at No. 17 east Canal street, was arrested yesterday and lodged in the Henrico ovesterday and lodged in the Henrico county jail, charged with stealing a blank from A. D. Morre, valued at one cent. Chalkly and Moore belong to that set of easy-going fellows, who witness all the ball games by the means of ladders, from the top of which they are enabled to see over the tall fence that surrounds the ball park. They have two upright ladders and across the top they place a plank on which they can either sit or stand. Moore claims that Chalkly took his plank that he used to sit on. Chalkly denies the charge, and the one cent case will probacily be called to-day for a hearing.

Supreme Court of Appeals, The proceedings yesterday were as

follows: Flood's Administrator vs. Hutter. Passed. On account of the sickness of Judge William J. Robertson, Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company vs. American Ex-change Bank and Jammison vs. Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Con-pany were

also passed. Clarke vs. Oliver. Further argued by W. W. Henry, Esq., for appellants, and Judge Edmund Waddill for appellees, and Major T. J. Kirkpatrick and R. G. H.

Kean, Esq., both of Lynchburg, were the only non-resident lawyers in attend-

The next cases to be called are Light-foot vs. Green, No. 7; Witz Biedler & Co. vs. Fite, No. 22, and Farish, Trustee, vs. Wayman, Trustee, No. 24; all on the regular docket.

fame was brought into court by the sher-iff and his deputy.

He took his seat between his counsel, Mr. Hill Carter and Mr. L. O. Wenden-

Near him sat his cousin, Mr. F. D. Smith, a lawyer from Kansas, who has come on to attend the trial. Just across the bar opposite Parker and his counsel the representative of the Commonwealth occupied seats. Mr. Conway Sands is assisted in the case by Messrs. E. B.Thomason and H. M. Smith, Jr.

A few mirutes after the prisoner had entered the court the case was called, and Clerk Wrddill read the indictment, in which Parker is charged on the 1th day of last January with defrauding and stealing from A. W. Withers the sum of \$5,000.

At the conclusion of the reading of the Indictment Parker plead not guilty. Before the Impannelling of the Jury was commenced the counsel for the defence arose and made a motion to quash the Near him sat his cousin, Mr. F. D.

arcse and made a motion to quash the venire facias and its return because of an error in the initials of the name of one of the men summoned.

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The Court overruled the motion, when Mr. Smith arcse and said that he had discovered that the initial in the name of one of the men summoned was incorrect, both on the cierk's and the return list, and he asked the Court as an extra precaution that the motion asked for by the defence be granted. THE VENIRE QUASHED

Judge Wickham then quashed the venire and Sheriff Solomon was ordered to sum-non another. This caused a considerable lelay, and it was 1 o'clock before the

delay, and it was I o'clock before the case was resumed.

During the interfin, while a second venire was being summoned. I noticed a number of people in court who had been summoned as witnesses, and who have figured more or less prominently before the public in connection with this celebrated case.

They were M. A. W. Withers, Norris the Granger detective, and the other

They were M. A. W. Withers, Nortis Granger detective, and the other alleged western victims of Parker. There were also the local witnesses, and the detectives who worked up the case. When the new ventre facias was called Mr. Wendenburg moved to quash it, making the old writ a part of the new. The Court overruled the objection, to which action the defence excepted.

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Thirteen jurors were secured from the second venire, two of whom-Messra. J. S. Braner and E. Shipman-had expressed their opinions and did not think they could give the prisoner a fair trial, at least they said they would have to go in the box with the opinion on their minds, although they thought it might be removed one way or the other by the evidence.

The defence made no objection to their being accepted, but Mr. Smith, for the Commonwealth, said he thought that they could not be accepted as jurors, and Judge Wickham so decided, to which action the defence took an exception. At 2 o'clock a tales was issued to complete the jury, returnable at 4:30 o'clock. The court then adjourned until the return of the tales.

The afternoon session of the court was resumed promptly at 4 o'clock. After the necessary panel had been necured, Messrs. G. M. Holladay. Thomas Guy. E. S. Rogers and J. W. Warriner were thrown cut from the panel upon the objection of the defence, and the following jury was duly sworn in: Messrs. W. B. Groves, James Phillips, J. C. Schermerhorn, Robert Moughan, J. M. Booker, E. T. Maynard, A. J. Smith, F. L. Christian, Jacob Feitig, H. J. Via, E. J. Dietrick and John B. Tiller.

Upon the request of both the counsel for the defence and the Commonwealth, the court was adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning. RECOND SESSION.

ceedings yesterday. He was dressed in a new suit of gray English tweed cloth, with a black silk tle. He conversed free-ly with his counsel, his cousin, and, in fact, talked very pleasantly with any-one who addressed him. The few people attending the trial was the source of much comment, considering the great interest that has been previously shown by the public. There is a certain story connected with the gold brick man that has a romantic tinge, but no bearing upon

ANOTHER CHAPTER.

The detective gave Parker yesteriay six pictures which the granger claims tells a certain chapter in the gold brick man's life, that shows that he is a men of history. One of the pictures is of Parker taken about ten years ago. In it to looks much younger, is stylishly dressed, and quite handsome. Another of the pictures is the likeness of a handsome sad-faced woman, the looks as she had not always found this life, hed of roses. The woman in question, as she had not always found this life a hed of roses. The woman in question, according to Norris' statemnt, is a former wife of Parker, from whom he has been divorced for several years. Her maiden name was McCurdy, and she married a man named Collins, from whom she was afterwards divorced, before she became the wife of Parker. By the Collins' marriage there was one child, a girl, and four of the pictures are of this girl taken at different ages from eleven to eighteen years, which is at present her age. Her name, says Norris, is Lula Smith, and she has been educated by Parker at great expense. She has re-Smith, and she has beed educated by Parker at great expense. She has recently graduated from St. Mary Convent in Canada. The girl is exceedingly protty and handsomely dressed.

When I questioned Parker about the pictures and their history I 'ound him even more reticent than ever.

EDUCATED THE GIEL.

He claimed to know very little if anything about them, but he admitted that he had educated the girl at considerable expense. He said he found her half clothed and hungry, and that anything he had done for her was prompted purely by a spirit of charity. When I questioned him about the woman he became visibly affected. He admitted she was Lula's mother. "Oh, she is alright as far as family is concerned." he said, "but, poor woman, she has fallen and is sorry for it."

When asked if she was his wife he referred me to Norris, saying that the

When asked if she was his wife he referred me to Norris, saying that the Granger detective knew more about the case than he did. The girl's name is Smith, but she was the result of the woman's marriage with Collins. It is very probable that when Parker married he was using the name of Frank L. Smith, and the girl's name was changed. The woman, Norris says, is named Smith. This alias is denied by Parker, but it is very likely his true name.

Several times yesterday, while conversing with him, his cousin from Kansas addressed him as Frank. A larger crowd will probably bear the trial to-day.

Committee on Light.

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The Committee on Light held its regular meeting in room No. 12 of the City Hall last evening. There were present Messrs. Grimes (chairman), Branch, Caskite, Davis, Hardwicke, Vaughan, Noble and Wallerstein.

Superintendent Adams presented his report for the month of March, showing that 19,802,000 cubic feet of gas were made in that time, against 18,572,000 cubic feet in the corresponding month of 1894. The cost of gas in the holder was 41 cents for 1,000 feet, and the cost of distribution 15 cents.

The usual number of bills were ordered to be paid.

Mr. Caskie offered a resolution, instructing the committee to consider the question whether the construction of a new gas holder in the western part of the cost of the second.

EAST HANOVER PRESETTERT. That Bo'y Wi I Convene in Richmond To.

East Hanover Presbytery will meet in the Second Presbyterian church to-night Rev. Dr. R. P. Kerr had been appointed to preach the opening sermon, but he was summoned by a telegram on yester-day to the bedside of his brother, who

Boy's Composition on Chickens,
Chickens is the result of a hen sticking to one idea long enough to accomplish something. They all look alike when they is first born, but by and by you wouldn't know they ever belonged to the same set. Their ma is their natural parent and protector. Spring chickens is the best, because they cost the most. Pa bought a spring chicken at a bargain counter in a meat shop the other day, and, with coal at \$1.75 cents a ton, ma figured that we did not make expenses that day trying to cook that spring chicken first had pin-feathers. Ma says what pa don't know about a good many things would supply a lot of folks with college educations. He said that if she had given those thirteen eggs that she used for angel's food to some hen with good intentions and a hatchwad we could be living on the top floor this fall. I am of the same opinion as panow. Last soring I thought ma was 0. K. George Bezan says they are going to set their clocks and raise waterberries. He says their bed ticks, and he has that run down feeling in the morning. Chriscolumbus made an egg stand on its head, which had never been done before. Pa said there was money in hens, and he was going into the chicken business when the country went Democratic, A man can't do a big business unless he is protected. Chickens can swanow their food whole, and they is to be enviel.—Grand Rapids Review. Boy's Compo itton on Chickens,

The Trip to Jamestown.

There was a called meeting of the di-rectory board of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities, at the rooms of the Virginia Historical So-ciety, at 420 o'clock, yesteriay after-noon, to perfect plans for an excursion to Jamestown on the 13th of May, which is the anniversary of the landing of the polony.

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On that day the College of William and Mary will hold its annual memorial celebration at Jamestown, and there will be excursions from Norfolk and cortsmouth, as well as Richmond.

Jamestown, which belongs to the A. P. V. A., is now enclosed, and only members of this society have free admittance. The dollar, which is the price for the excursion on the 13th of May, gains admittance to the grounds; children's tickets are 50 cents. All other excursions, except those under the auspices of A. P. V. A., are charged for the privilege of going into Jamestown. The valuable breakwater, now in process of construction, prevents the grounds from looking as pretty as they will look later.

Mr. H. O. Williams Returned.

State Secretary H. O. Williams, of the Young Men's Christian Association of Virginia, yesterday returned from Lexington, where he attended the conference of the presidents of college associations, held there from April 11th to 14th. There were ten delegates from as many associations present. The meetings were conducted by Mr. F. T. Brockman, college secretary of the international committee, and Rev. R. J. EleBryde, D. D., chairman of the committee on college work from the State Committee.

Mr. Williams has concluded his financial canvass in Norfolk, and has succeeded in naising the \$2.00 needed to pay off the debt of the association, and the board of directors is now prepared to call a secretary.

On his return to this city Mr. Williams yesterday stopped three hours in Staunton, where he had a conference with some of the directors of the local organization. He will spend the entire next week in Clifton Forge. Mr. H. O. Williams Returned,

Local Scottish Right Masons,

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At a stated meeting of Libertas Lodge.
No. 5. A. and A. Scottish Rite, of Freemasonry held last night, Mr. C. B. Frizwilson was elected treasurer. The venerable master appointed the following
committees, for the annual convention,
which takes place in May. On BanquetThomas Whittel, John R. Charleton and
William Ryan. On Reception—W. R.
Higham, Jr., J. B. Childress, R. W.
Leffery, A. S. Groser, E. D. Hotchkiss,
H. T. Ellyson and George L. Street.

To be Ordained a Minister.

Rev. Z. S. Farland, assistant rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, will be or-dained a minister on the first Sunday in May. Bishop John B. Newton will ad-minister the ordination, and the candi-date will be presented to him by the re-ter of the shurch Rev. Hartley, Can-

Mr. Powers Surprised, At the gose of the rehearsal of the vested choir of Manumental church, or Saturday evening, Mr. Philip Powers, the indefatigable choirmaster, was currounded by the members of the choir, who, it appreciation of his valuable services gave expression of their gratitude by presenting him with a handsome case, containing a dozen heavy silver forks. That Mr. Powers was taken utterly by surprise, is expressing it very mildly.

Daughters of the Revolution.

The Old Dominion Chapter of Daugh ters of the American Revolution held a meeting yesterday in the rooms of the Virginia Historical Society. The State regent, Mrs. William Wirt Henry, having been appointed chairman of the relic committee of the Atlanta Exposition, will make arrangements for a special place for the chapter in the Virginia exhibit.

A Surrow E-cape.

While Mr. Aleck Shelton, an employe of the J. L. Hill Printing Company, was out driving Sunday morning with his wife and child, the vehicle in wheh they were scated was accidentally overturned on the steep hill of the Meadowbridge road, in the rear of the almshouse. Mr. and Mrs. Shelton escaped with slight injuries, while their child was not hurt at all,

Stole the Bluzs' Money,

Rome time between Saturday night and yesterday morning a thief entered the armory of the Blues, and stole \$25 from Company B's room. The money that in a tin box, and was opened with a can opener. No trace of the thief could be found. The police have been notified.

Captain J. B. Baylor and Mr. Wyndham R. Meredith had a cenference yesterday with Governor O'Ferrall about the ar-rangements for entertaining Postmaster-General Wilson to-morrow. The Governor will hold a reception for one hour from 5:15 to 6:15 P. M., in his monor.

To Receive the Postmaster-General

The Death Report

The Richmond mortuary report, for the week ending April 13th, shows:
Whole number of deaths, 2; 11 white and 18 colored; still born, 1 colored, Annual rate of mortality per 1,000, white, 10.70; colored, 21.66; total, 15.61.

Only comparatively few ministers were present at the meeting of the Richmond Clericus, in the vestry-room of St. Paul's church, at noon yesterday, and no busi-ness of any importance was transacted.

Richmond Clericus

Several people have applied to Mr. Sands for permission to adopt the little girl that was recently found in the county, in the house of a negro woman named Roy. Mr. Sands has not decided what he will do with the child, but it is more than probable that she will be placed in some orphans' home.

Law and Equity Court. In the Law and Equity Court yesterday a suit was entered by Richard Hayes' Sons against E. F. Brennan & Co. Dam-ages, \$750.

Bustings Court,

The Hustings Court was engaged yes-

was summoned by a telegram on yesterday to the bedside of his brother, who is very fil.

In the absence of Rev. Dr. Kerr, Rev. Dr. Moses D. Hoge will preach the sermon. The sessions of Presbytery are open to the public, and all our citizens are cordially invited to attend, especially on the exercises to-night when Dr. Hoge will preach, and the Presbytery will be formally opened. The ministers and elders who will attend the sessions of Preghytery will be entertained by their friends in this city.

Rev. A. P. Saunders and Ruling maer J. L. Marye will be entertained by Mr. J. N. Cullingworth at No. 1843 Grove avenue; Rev. R. R. Howison, by Mr. Edward Gray, 323 south Fourth street; Rev. T. T. Jones, by Mr. R. T. Brooke, at Illieast Clay street; Rev. T. P. Epes, by Mr. John Munce, at No. 5 west Main street; Ruling Elder Coffman, by Rev. Dr. Moses D. Hoge; Rev. H. C. Brown, by Mr. Charles E. McCluer, 2804 east Franklin; General George J. Hundley, by Mr. W. W. Henry, 415 east Franklin street; Ruling Elder A. H. Wilson, by Mr. G. W. Taylor, Twenty-eighth and Grace streets; Rev. Dr. J. A. Waddill, by Mrs. Waller. The other members of the Presbytery who have not yet reported will be assigned among Judge B. R. Wellford, Mr. Howard Swineford, Dr. J. Hall Moore, Mr. C. D. Larus, and other friends who wish to entertain presyters.

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Lions Ate the Bear.

entertain presyters.

From Lemberg our Vienna correspond-ent learns that a terrible battle has been fought at the railway station at Rawafought at the railway station at Rawaruska. A menagerie was being conveyed by rail and when the train stopped at the station a great noise was heard. The guards went to the wagons containing the wild beasts and found the wooden partitions, which separated three lionesses from three bears, and these again from three hyenas, broken down and the animals engaged in battle. One bear was missing. The lions had eaten him, skin and all. They had bitten another bear's paw off, and a hyena lay dead on the floor. Two lions in a neighboring compartment remained calm. No one dared interfere between the fighting beasts until the owner arrived in a siedge and separated them—not before he had been bitten by a bear, however. He claims damages from the railway administration because the partitions gave way.—London Daily News.

Miss Mary Terrell, of Louisa Court-house, is visiting her friend, Miss Ella Mayo, 1501 Perter street, Manchester.

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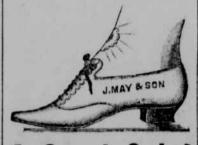
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